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FALL and WINTER BULBS

Retailers selling bulbs over the counter will be wise in going far beyond their ordinary requirements when purchasing. Never before has there been such a widespread interest in gardening. Less motoring will mean more gardening, and justifiably so, as trying war conditions tend to increase tension and make essential some wholesome means of relaxation. By all means do not overlook indoor blooming bulbs for winter sale as the demand will increase enormously. Narcissi are the leading sellers in this type.

Growers should also realize their responsibility to make available adequate supplies of carefully grown flowers without which human expressions of sentiment would be empty and devoid of beauty.

(Shipments commence in month shown opposite variety)

AMARYLLIS

October

Two separate and distinct strains are offered by us. The English strain hybrids generally produce wider open-faced bell-shaped flowers, compared with the narrower and rather longish flowers found in other types.

Giant American Hybrids

	Per 100	Per 1000
2 1/4" - 2 1/2" diam. bulbs	\$10.00	\$ 95.00
2 1/2" - 2 3/4" " "	11.50	110.00
2 3/4" - 3" " "	16.00	150.00
3" - 3 1/2" " "	24.00	230.00
3 1/2" - 4" " "	30.00	300.00
4" up " "	35.00	350.00

English Strain Hybrids

3" - 3 1/2" diam. bulbs	\$29.00	\$275.00
3 1/2" up " "	36.00	350.00

Straight Colors (Bulbs 2 1/2" up diam.)

Red	Orange	
Salmon	Near White	\$35.00 per 100

ANEMONES

September

Singles

		Per 100	Per 1000
De Caen, mixed	Jumbos	\$3.50	\$29.00
	Tops	2.50	22.00
	Ones	2.00	16.00
	Twos	1.00	7.50
Blue Poppy, bright blue	Jumbos	4.00	36.00
	Tops	3.50	29.00
	Ones	3.00	22.00
	Twos	2.00	15.00
His Excellence, scarlet	Jumbos	4.00	36.00
	Tops	3.50	29.00
	Ones	3.00	22.00
	Twos	2.00	15.00
The Bride, white	Jumbos	4.00	36.00
	Tops	3.50	29.00
	Ones	3.00	22.00
	Twos	2.00	15.00

Semi-Doubles

St. Brigid, mixed	Jumbos	4.00	36.00
	Tops	3.50	29.00
	Ones	3.00	22.00
	Twos	2.00	15.00
The Governor, scarlet	Jumbos	4.50	36.00
	Tops	3.50	29.00
	Ones	3.00	22.00
	Twos	2.00	15.00

BEGONIAS

January

Double Camellia Flowering

White — Yellow — Pink — Rose — Salmon — Apricot — Orange — Scarlet — Red — Crimson.

Carnation Flowering (Double Frilled)

White — Yellow — Pink — Rose — Salmon — Apricot — Orange — Scarlet — Red — Crimson.

Giant Singles

White — Yellow — Pink — Rose — Salmon — Orange — Scarlet — Red.

Crispa (Single Frilled)

White — Yellow — Pink — Rose — Salmon — Apricot — Orange — Scarlet — Red.

Giant Single Crested (Cristata)

White — Yellow — Pink — Rose — Salmon — Orange — Scarlet — Red.

Double Hanging Basket (Lloydii or Pendula)

White — Rose — Orange — Pink — Salmon — Yellow.

Double Picotee

Pink — Rose — Salmon — Apricot — Red.

Double Rosebud

Pink — Rose — Salmon — Apricot — Red.

Marmorata

(Camellia flowering, mottled red and white).

Crispa Marginata

Duplex

Narcissiflora

Above three varieties in mixed colors only.

BLEEDING HEARTS (Dicentra Spectabilis)

November

Excellent early Spring pot plant. Heavy field grown clumps, with 5 eyes or more.

Packed 50 per case.

\$22.00 per 100

CALADIUM FANCY LEAF

December

Few pot plants for Easter, Mother's Day and Decoration Day afford such a radiant display of colors. The heart shaped leaves are veined and striped in rich colors.

Ace of Hearts—Deep rose center with heavy scarlet ribs and green border.

Brilliantissima—Transparent brilliant red satin; large leaf.

Candidum—White with green veins.

Daybreak—Veined pink; later transparent pinkish white.

Dr. M. Cook—Dark moss green with plum red center, spotted deep red. Frilled leaf.

Hortilania—Considered the best red. Shining crimson with bluish units.

Itacapus—Entire leaf dark red of a rust shade; narrow border with red dottings. One of the most beautiful Caladiums in existence. Known also as JOHN HACHMEISTER.

CALADIUM FANCY LEAF (continued)

John Peed—Deep blood red, large center; pea green border.

Lord Derby—Transparent rose with dark green ribs and narrow green edge. Very popular.

Mme. Truall—Fine dwarf shining red leaf with bronzy hues; broad center ribs of darker shade.

Mrs. W. B. Haldeman—Beautiful transparent rose leaf, pea green veins.

Mrs. Sanders—Dark green leaf heavily blotched transparent deep rose.

Poeile Anglais—Transparent deep crimson center, bluish tint bordered metalgre.

Scarlet Pimpernelle—Straw colored leaf with large scarlet center. Devoid of ribs or veins.

Sorocaba—Transparent pinkish white; veined green later.

Thomas Tomlinson—Bright crimson center and blotches; narrow green edge. Makes many leaves.

Triumph de l'Exposition—Rounded leaf, bright green with dark green edge and crimson center.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Named Varieties	\$12.00	\$110.00
Mixed	9.00	85.00

CALLAS**Aethiopica (White)**

	Per 100	Per 1000
1 1/4" - 1 1/2" diam. bulbs	\$ 6.00	\$ 55.00
1 1/2" - 1 3/4" " "	12.00	110.00
1 3/4" - 2" " "	18.00	170.00
2" up " "	25.00	250.00
2 1/2" up " "	35.00	350.00

Elliottiana (Golden Yellow)

	Per 100	Per 1000
2" - 2 1/2" diam. bulbs	\$11.00	\$105.00
2 1/2" - 3" " "	20.00	190.00
3" up " "	28.00	280.00
3 1/2" up " "	35.00	350.00

Alba Maculata (White)

	Per 100	Per 1000
1 3/4" - 2" diam. bulbs	\$ 7.00	\$ 65.00
2" - 2 1/2" " "	11.00	105.00
2 1/2" - 3" " "	20.00	190.00

Rehmanii (Pink)

	Per 100
Top Size	\$35.00

CALOCHORTUS

	Per 100
Mixed, all types and colors	\$ 3.00

CAMASSIAS, Esculenta (Blue Camas Lily)

Hardy, June blooming bulbs producing spikes 2' to 4' tall with lavender-blue, star shaped florets about 1 1/2" across.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Top Size	\$ 4.00	\$ 35.00
First Size	2.50	20.00

CARNATION CUTTINGS

Write for our special listings.

CHIONODOXA

SOLD OUT.

COLCHICUM

SOLD OUT.

CROCUS

	Per 100	Per 1000
Blue	\$ 4.00	\$ 35.00
Purple	4.00	35.00
Yellow	SOLD OUT	

Aureus, deep orange yellow

Bifloris, feathered lilac on white

Please write
for Quotations

DAFFODILS (Narcissi)

See our detailed listing accompanying this circular.

ERYTHRONIUM (Hound's Tooth Violets)

	Per 100	Per 1000
Hendersonii , light purple; mottled foliage	\$ 3.50	\$ 30.00
Citrinum , cream white; yellow at center	3.50	30.00
Tuolomensis , new golden yellow; mottled foliage	4.00	35.00

FREESIAS

Quoted per 1000. Add 10% in quantities less than 250.

	1/2-5/8"	5/8-3/4"	3/4" up
California —Yellow		\$15.00	
Celeste —Bright Violet Blue		15.00	
Elder's Giant White —Huge White; late		\$16.00	
Golden Daffodil —Giant Golden Yellow	8.50	14.00	\$22.00
Joan Manda —Giant Early White		15.00	
Mrs. Marc Peters —Deep Rose, Yellow Throat	12.00		
Marie Loise Fischer —Lavender Blue	12.00	15.00	15.00
Penserosa —Large Pink			
Purity, Improved —Early White	7.50		
Schroeder's White Perfection —Large White	9.50		
Sunset —Golden Yellow; Tinted Orange		14.00	

GALANTHUS (Snowdrops)

As this circular goes to press, our available stock is sold out but indications are we may have an additional supply late. Your inquiries are invited.

GLADIOLI FOR FORCING

Special list of excellent varieties sent on request.

GLORIOSA ROTHSCILDIANA

Flowers resembling Rubrum lilies, grown on climbing vines, blooming 7 to 8 weeks after planting. Not hardy.

	Per 100
Blooming Size Tubers	\$35.00
Mammoth Size Tubers	50.00

GLOXINIAS

***Bavaria**—Dark blue with white throat—ruffled edge, very large flowered.

Black Prince—Giant flowered, a midnight blue, edge of flower is slightly undulated.

Blanche de Meru—Rose with white throat.

Blue Sshades Mixed—Good mixture of blue varieties.

***Brilliant**—A new pigeon-blood red, bears a great many blossoms. The foliage is light green and the habit is very compact. (1 1/2" and up diam. largest size).

Brunhilde—Pure white, large flower.

Emperor Frederick—Upright flowers, scarlet with white band.

Emperor William—Upright, deep violet, banded by white margin.

Etoile de Feu—Scarlet.

***Hybrid Assortment**—Full assortment of rich colors, very large flowered; these hybrids were developed by us.

***Improved Red**—Crimson; light green foliage.

King of the Reds—Dark Red.

Mont Blanc—White.

***Monterey Rose**—Soft rose blossoms. This new variety is a valuable addition as heretofore there has been no good rose. The foliage is dark, flexible.

Othello—A large open flowered purple, bright green foliage.

***Pink Delight**—Delicate pink with white throat, extremely upright blossoms—reverse of foliage is rose colored.

Princess Elizabeth—Blue with white throat.

Prince Albert—Dark violet.

Red Shades Mixed—A mixture of good red Gloxinias.

***Sky Blue**—Light blue, flowers upright, but very open and short throated. This variety was developed by our hybridizers and is, we believe, the finest of all blue Gloxinias.

Tiger Spotted and Stained Hybrids—Larger diameter flower with shorter throat. Mixture of pink, blue, purple, and red.

Violacea—Violet blue, light green foliage.

Wandsbek Blood—Fine ruby red (1 1/2" and up diam. largest size).

Mixed—All colors mixed.

Any of the above named varieties or mixed.

GLOXINIAS (continued)

	Per 100	Per 1000
1" - 1 1/2" diam.	\$12.00	\$110.00
1 1/4" - 1 1/2" diam.	14.00	135.00
1 1/2" - 2" diam.	20.00	195.00
2" and up diam.	26.00	

NOTE: The varieties marked * are flexible leaved and can be wrapped and shipped without injury to the foliage.

HYACINTHS

September

At present we can offer as follows:

	Per 100	Per 1000
13 ctm. circ. bulbs		
Gertrude, rich rose	\$10.50	\$100.00
Grande Maitre, deep lavender-blue	10.50	100.00
Lady Derby, light rose-pink	10.50	100.00
Jan Bos, carmine-red	10.50	100.00
Lord Balfour, purplish-mauve	10.50	100.00
Mauve Queen, reddish lilac	10.50	100.00
Myosotis, medium lavender-blue	10.50	100.00
Orange Boven, reddish orange	10.50	100.00

HYACINTHUS CANDICANS

(Galtonia; Summer Hyacinths)

January

Pendant white hyacinth-like florets. Carried pendant on 3' to 5' stalks. Summer flowering, fragrant.

	Per 100	Per 1000
1 1/4" - 1 1/2" diam.	\$2.50	\$22.00
1 1/2" - 2" diam.	3.50	30.00
2" - 2 1/2" diam.	5.00	45.00
2 1/2" - 3" diam.	7.00	60.00

IRIS, Hardy Bulbous

September

See our detailed listing accompanying this circular.

ISMENE CALATHINA (Peruvian Daffodil)

January

Summer flowering bulbs producing fragrant, waxy-white flowers resembling Daffodils. Broad strap-leaf foliage.

Diameter Bulbs	Per 100	Per 1000
1 1/2" - 1 3/4"	\$7.00	\$ 60.00
1 3/4" - 2"	9.00	80.00
2" - 2 1/4"	12.00	110.00
2 1/4" - 2 1/2"	15.00	140.00
2 1/2" - 3"		

IXIAS

September

Widely grown by florists.

Mixed colors	\$2.50	\$20.00
Straight colors of Red, Pink, Yellow		
Rose, Orange, or White	Sold Out	

LEUCOCORYNE IXIODES

(Glory of the Sun)

September

Prepared bulbs planted in early Fall bloom from late January to April, 2 to 4 spikes from a bulb; wiry stems bearing sweet-scented blue flowers.

	Per 100	Per 1000
	\$5.00	\$45.00

LEUCOJUM VERNUM

(Spring Snowflake)

September

Hardy spring flowering bulbs. Stalks about 6" - 10" tall with pendant green-tipped flowers similar to florets of Lily of the Valley.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Bulbs about 1 1/4" diam.	\$3.00	\$25.00

LIATRIS

October and Spring

Purple, summer blooming Perennials, much used for make-up work. Height about 4 ft.

Pycnostachya, Purple, blooming

Per 100 Per 1000

July, August \$7.50 \$69.00

September Glory (New). Rosy purple, blooming Sept.

3 yr. old plants	\$10.00	\$90.00
2 yr. old plants	7.50	69.00

LILIES (Forcing and Hardy)

September

	Per 100
Candidum (Madonna)—7" circ.	\$19.00
8" circ.	23.00

Floridii—Excellent clean Easter Lilies. Shipment Nov. 15 to Dec. 1 for Easter forcing.

	Packed per Case	Per Case
6" - 7" circ. bulbs	225	\$67.50
7" - 8" circ. bulbs	175	Sold Out
8" - 9" circ. bulbs	125	65.00
10" - 11" circ. bulbs	60	39.00

LILIES (continued)**Harissii**

September

Choice Bermuda grown bulbs, "clean as a hounds tooth".

	Packed per Case	Per Case
6" - 7" circ. bulbs	335	\$69.00

Special prices in quantity. Other sizes on request.

Pardalimum Giganteum (Sunset)

October

Beautiful robust garden Lily. Hybrids of Humboldt and Pardalimum, blooming July. Orange scarlet recurved petals; yellow spotted at the center, 5'-7' tall.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Top size bulbs	\$10.00	\$90.00
First size bulbs	7.50	70.00

Philippinense, Summer Flowering

October

4" - 5" circ. bulbs	\$14.00	\$130.00
5" - 6" circ. bulbs	17.00	100.00

Philippinense, Autumn Flowering

October

4" - 5" circ. bulbs	14.00	130.00
5" - 6" circ. bulbs	17.00	100.00

Regale, Oregon grown

October

4" - 5" circ. bulbs	4.00	36.00
5" - 6" circ. bulbs	5.50	50.00
6" - 7" circ. bulbs	7.00	65.00
7" - 8" circ. bulbs	9.50	90.00
8" - 9" circ. bulbs	12.00	110.00
9" - 10" circ. bulbs	16.00	150.00
10" - 11" circ. bulbs	22.00	210.00
11" - 12" circ. bulbs	25.00	250.00
12" - 13" circ. bulbs	28.00	280.00

Special quotations for quantities in smaller sizes.

Hardy low growing Lilies; flowers scarlet, of waxy texture, sharply recurved.

	Per 100	Per 1000
	\$6.00	\$55.00

MUSCARI (Grape Hyacinths)

September

Top Size	\$2.25	\$21.00
First Size	1.75	15.00
Second Size	1.25	11.00

NARCISSI, Tender

September

Paperwhites, firm round bulbs

12-13 ctm. circ. bulbs	\$1.50	\$12.00
13-14 ctm. circ. bulbs	2.00	17.50
14-15 ctm. circ. bulbs	2.50	22.00
15-16 ctm. circ. bulbs	3.50	29.00

Chinese Sacred Lilies

14-15 ctm. circ. bulbs	\$4.00	\$36.00
15-16 ctm. circ. bulbs	4.50	42.00
16-17 ctm. circ. bulbs	5.00	48.00
17-18 ctm. circ. bulbs	6.00	55.00

Soleil d'or—Our superior strain produces strong deep yellow flowers, better than anything on the market.

	Per 100	Per 1000
14-15 ctm. circ. bulbs	\$4.50	\$38.50
15-16 ctm. circ. bulbs	5.00	45.00
16-17 ctm. circ. bulbs	5.50	50.00
17-18 ctm. circ. bulbs	6.50	57.50
18-20 ctm. circ. bulbs	7.00	65.00

RETAILERS selling Narcissus Bulbs should also sell Pearl Chips in Bulk or Packages.

In Bulk, Colored or White	\$3.50 per 100 Lbs.
In Packages, Colored or White	5.00 per 100 Pkgs.

ORNITHOGALUM

September

Arabicum (Star of Bethlehem)—Fine Easter pot plant. Also excellent for cut flowers, producing the longest-lasting flower known. Large umbels of star-shaped white flowers, with black centers. When planted outdoors in Northern climates will overwinter well if given thick covering.

	Per 100	Per 1000
2" diam. bulks	\$3.50	\$30.00
1 3/4" diam. bulks	3.00	25.00

Aureum

SOLD OUT

ORNITHOGALUM (continued)

Umbellatum—Hardy, naturalizes easily and propagates readily. White flowers, black centers, carried in umbels of 3 or more flowers.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Top Size	\$3.00	\$28.00
Second Size	2.00	18.00

OXALIS

September

Winter flowering. Easily bloomed indoors in pots, bowls, hanging baskets, etc.

	Per 100	Per 1000
Bermuda Buttercup, Yellow	\$1.75	\$15.00
Grand Duchess, Lavender	1.75	15.00
Grand Duchess, Pink	1.75	15.00

RANUNCULUS

September

Mixed

Per 100 Per 1000

Jumbos	\$3.50	\$29.00
Tops	2.50	22.00
Ones	2.00	16.00
Twos	1.00	9.00

Red Shades

Jumbos	4.00	36.00
Tops	3.50	29.00
Ones	3.00	22.00
Twos	1.50	12.50

Pink Shades

Jumbos	4.50	40.00
Tops	3.50	29.00
Ones	2.50	22.00
Twos	2.00	18.00

Golden Yellow

Per 100 Per 1000

Jumbos	\$4.00	\$36.00
Tops	3.50	29.00
Ones	2.00	18.00
Twos	1.50	12.50

Orange Shades

Jumbos	4.50	40.00
Tops	3.50	29.00
Ones	2.50	22.00
Twos	2.00	18.00

White Shades

Jumbos	4.50	40.00
Tops	4.00	36.00
Ones	3.00	25.00
Twos	2.00	18.00

SCILLAS

September

Campanulata	Alba, White
Campanulata	Blue
Campanulata	Pink

SPIRAEAS

December

Heavy, well-eyed clumps for 6" pots or larger. Beautiful and profitable Easter pot plants.

Per 100

America—Lilac rose, long spikes, beautiful foliage	\$23.00
Bonn—Deep Carmine rose; good forcer	23.00
Deutschland—Pure white; free flowering, strong growth	23.00
Gloria Superba—Deep rose pink; good forcer	23.00
Granat—Crimson, shaded salmon	23.00
Peach Blossom—Peach blossom color, red stamens; light green foliage	23.00
Pink Pearl—Delicate pearl pink; good forcer, taller than others	23.00
Queen Alexandra—Clear light pink, medium height	23.00
Rhineland—Deep pink; shapely plant, holds color well	23.00

TIGRIDIAS (Mexican Shell Flower)

January

Bloom in Summer over a period of about 2 months, each flower lasting about a day.

 $\frac{3}{4}$ "-1" diam. bulbs.

Per 100 Per 1000

1" up diam. bulbs

Per 100 Per 1000

Mixed	\$3.50	\$30.00	\$4.50	\$32.00
Dark Rose	3.50	33.00	5.00	44.00
Wine Red	3.50	33.00	5.00	44.00
Red	3.50	30.00	4.50	40.00
Yellow	3.50	30.00	4.50	40.00

TULIPS

September

See our detailed listing accompanying this circular.

FOR SPRING WE OFFER ADDITIONAL VARIETIES—

Caladium Esculentum

Madeira Vines

Cannas

Montbretias

Cyclamen Seed

Oxalis (Summer flowering)

Dahlias

Tuberoses

Zephyranthes